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**Abstract**

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The present invention relates to a device for the topical and systemic administration of active substances to or through the skin consisting of a backing layer, at least one self-adhesive layer, and a removable protective layer, wherein the self-adhesive layer consists of (a) 100 parts by weight of a polyacrylate adhesive, (b) 5 to 150, preferably 10 to 100, and in particular 15 to 50 parts by weight of a film former compatible with polyacrylates, (c) 0 to 250 parts by weight of a non-softening active substance and/or adjuvant, and (d) 10 to 250 parts by weight of a softening active substance and/or adjuvant.

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